

26. A method according to claim 25, comprising administering to a site of wounding a stimulator of IFN- $\gamma$ .

27. A method according to claim 25, comprising the use of between 7,500 and 15,000 IU IFN- $\gamma$ .

28. A method according to claim 25, comprising stimulating IFN- $\gamma$  either immediately prior to wounding or immediately after wounding.

29. The method according to claim 25 wherein the stimulator is selected from any one of the group IFN- $\gamma$  or a partially modified form thereof, and an inhibitor of IFN- $\gamma$  metabolism.

30. The method according to claim 25 wherein the stimulator is used in conjunction with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, diluent or excipient.

31. A method according to claim 25 used in conjunction with a method for promoting the healing of wounds or fibrotic disorders with reduced scarring.

32. A method according to claim 25 used in conjunction with a method for promoting the healing of chronic wounds.--

Respectfully submitted,

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